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## LOCAL NEWS.

The exercises attending the installation of the officers of Lincoln Lodge A.O.U.W. Monday evening were well carried out by Deputy Kittredge and suite of Lawrence, and were much enjoyed. After the ceremony steamed clams and other refreshments were served in abundance, and the remainder of the evening spent in a social manner.

The Free Church Sunday School elected the following officers for 1892, last Sunday: Supt., J. Newton Cole; asst. supt. and secretary, Antoine B. Saunders; treasurer, Herbert Goff; librarian, Miss Margaret Middleton; assistants, William Scott and Charles Duncan.

President Pinkerton of the Senate and Speaker Barrett of the House announced their committees Monday. Senator Carter from this district is on the Library and Water Supply committees. Representative James B. Smith is on the committee for manufactures.

At the session of Probate Court in Lawrence Monday the will of Nahum Stone of this town was proved, and among the inventories of estates filed was that of Louisa Dane for \$1732.55.

W. S. Jenkins is confined to the house by illness.

Miss Charlotte Lambert has left the Pynchard School and is now attending Bryant & Stratton's Commercial College in Boston.

It is said that the operetta "Priscilla," which is to be given in the Lawrence Opera House Jan. 27 and 28, will be repeated in the Town Hall here, the proceeds to be given to the Lawrence Hospital. Miss Helen Churchill sings the title role.

The first locomotive run on the Boston & Maine railroad will, it is expected, be exhibited at the World's Fair.

F. A. Stowell, master of dancing, will open his second term in Andover in G. A. R. Hall, Wednesday evening, Jan. 27, at 7.45. His first term was a successful one and doubtless this will be more. Read his advertisement for further particulars.

The Essex County Pomona Grange meeting in Methuen last week Thursday was not largely attended, many members being ill. Thirty-seven candidates were instructed in the work of the fifth degree which for the first time was conferred in full form in the county. The organization consists now of over 150 members with prospects of a large class for the next initiation. The next meeting will be held in the West Newbury Town Hall, Feb. 11.

W. H. Barnes, who visited this town a short time ago in the interests of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, in writing about this trip in a California paper says:

At Andover, Mass., we met one of the old-timers, whom some may recollect. It was John N. Glenroy, the first man who ever turned a somersault on a bare-backed horse in public. Parker Spinney, the favorite hotel keeper of Boston and Andover, has been a lifelong friend of the old rider, and it is at his Andover Hotel the veteran equestrian finds a comfortable and permanent home.

On Saturday a meeting preliminary to the organization of an Essex County Press Association was held in Salem. Mr. Fred E. Smith of the Newburyport News was chosen temporary chairman, and Albert Vittum of the Beverly Times, secretary. Messrs. Hoyt of the Haverhill Bulletin, Moynahan of the Danvers Mirror, and Gildea of the Lawrence Eagle were appointed a committee to report a list of officers and plan for permanent organization. Mr. F. C. Damon was appointed to consider and report upon a system for the interchange of news. The meeting adjourned at the call of the chairman.

County Treasurer Jenkins finds he has \$20,000 more in cash on hand than a year ago, and Essex County is so much better off. The Treasurer hopes before long that the county will be able to meet all its current expenditures through the year from its own resources, without resort to loans.

By the death of Mrs. Sarah A. Dowe of South Natick, the trustees of Phillips Academy have come into possession of three thousand dollars, bequeathed to found a scholarship in the Academy by Mr. Joseph A. Dowe, a student in 1817, and who died in 1873.

C. C. Butler, the well known manager of the Page-Catering Company in Lawrence, has resigned to accept a position in Portland, Me. For the present Mr. Page will personally conduct the Lawrence concern.

One of the longest telegraphic messages ever sent across the continent is supposed to have been the press dispatch sent from Salem to San Francisco, containing a full report of a day's testimony in the famous Searles will case. The dispatch contained 17,520 words, and was first sent to Chicago and repeated from there to the Pacific coast. It went through in two hours and ten minutes, and cost \$25.00.

It is understood that those members of the Progressive Benefit Order, whose certificates matured last month are receiving \$26 out of the \$100 which they were to receive. Their assessments have amounted to about \$50, so that the investment was not very profitable.

To-morrow afternoon at 2, a lot of wood belonging to the estate of the late Joseph C. Dole will be sold by auctioneer Geo. S. Cole. It consists of pine, birch, maple, and chestnut, and is situated in rear of Fred Symonds about 200 feet from the Salem road.

Rev. Harry P. Dewey of Concord, N. H. has declined his call to the Sixth Presbyterian Church in Chicago.

E. L. Marsh of the Seminary has accepted a call to Yarmouth, Mass. and will begin work July 1, preaching for them once a month in the meantime.

W. B. Allis, who has been acting pastor of the Union Church in Haverhill, has resigned in order to devote himself entirely to his Seminary duties.

Past Master Workman E. E. Trefry, assisted by brothers T. E. Rhodes and E. Howarth installed the officers of the Methuen lodge of Ancient Order of United Workmen, Tuesday night.

The twenty-fourth annual reunion of the alumni of Bowdoin College in Boston and vicinity was held at Young's Hotel, Wednesday evening. Prof. E. C. Smyth of the class of '48 and ex-president of this association was present and was one of the speakers.

Andover House, Boston's "Toynbee Hall," was the theme of an interesting talk given in the vestry of the Arlington Street Church, Boston, Wednesday evening, before the officers and visitors of wards 16 and 9 of the associated charities. The speaker, Mr. Robert Woods, who is one of the principals in this latest philanthropic movement of the city, outlined the plan of work in detail, beginning with the birth of the undertaking.

At the conference of the Merrimack Valley Universalists in Lowell, Wednesday, B. F. Wardwell of this town was one of the speakers.

Rev. F. A. Wilson of the Free Church and Rev. Geo. W. Clough of the Baptist Church exchanged pulpits last Sabbath.

A bright woman writes in the "Observatory" on page six.

Miss Helen Barnett's dancing class closed its quarter's lessons last night. There will probably not be another quarter.

Branch G. Gutterson, an old and respected citizen, died at the home of William H. Phelps in West Parish, Tuesday of heart disease after an illness of about three days. Deceased was 71 years old.

Michael T. Welch, instead of Michael T. Walsh, as we had it last week, is the grand juror from this town.

The Senior class of Phillips Academy has adopted and received class canes, made of furze wood.

The public schools had one session Wednesday, on account of the bad walking and storm.

James B. Smith was re-elected a director of the Lawrence National Bank, Tuesday.

The fifth annual concert and ball of the Grand Canton Agawam Patriarchs Militant of Lawrence, in City Hall, Tuesday, was quite well attended by Andover people, among whom were E. C. Pike and W. H. Jowett, who are members of the organization.

The Congregationalist says of Mr. Barnard, son of E. H. Barnard of this town, and formerly an active worker in the South Church Sunday School:

The resignation of Mr. E. Lawrence Barnard as superintendent of the Highland Bethany Sunday School, Winchester, on account of ill health and increasing duties, is a serious loss to this mission enterprise, with which he has been closely identified since its organization, four years ago, and to which he has given generously of his time, money, and influence. Already his labors have been blessed with rich spiritual results, twelve pupils having joined the Winchester churches. He leaves the school in excellent condition for future work, and carries with him the grateful regard of both teachers and pupils, and their cordial wishes for his speedy and complete recovery.

The public installation of the new officers of Council No. 65 of the Royal Arcanum last Friday night proved a very pleasant occasion. The installing ceremonies were well performed by Past Grand Regent Goodwin and Grand Guide Blish of Boston. After these exercises, the members and their friends were delighted with a pleasing entertainment. A quartette from the Phillips Glee Club sang several selections in an excellent manner. Mr. Blish, whose ability as an elocutionist is quite well known in this town from a former appearance, also recited some well chosen pieces, which were heartily appreciated. Refreshments were also served during the evening.

The first of the "Monday Evening Talks" to young people will be given at the South Church next Monday evening, at 7.30 o'clock, by the Rev. George H. Reed of Haverhill, on "The Earl of Shaftsbury." The public is invited.

Among the donations to the Lawrence Hospital for December were the following from Andover for the Home: Miss Agnes Smith, children's clothing; King's Daughters, dolls, toys, books, and games; Miss Agnes Smith, candy.

A. C. Mitchell, who has been staying at G. R. Caldwell's, on Washington Avenue, has left for his home in Northern New York.

Mrs. Barbara Morris died at the Almshouse last Saturday, at the advanced age of 81 years. The cause of her death was the grip and heart failure. The funeral, on Monday, was attended by Mrs. Fraser, daughter of the deceased, and her family, from Boston, Mrs. Riley, another daughter, and her husband from Manchester, N.H., and Mrs. Nyler and son from Providence.

Last Saturday David Burke, an itinerant pedler, was united in marriage to Miss Susan O'Neil of this town. The ceremony was performed by Town Clerk Geo. A. Putnam.

There was a marriage at the Police Station last Sunday. Thomas Scott being united to Miss Ella Herrall. Geo. H. Poor, Esq., tied the nuptial knot. The new couple will reside at the home of Henry Cunningham on Pynchard Ave.

The 1802 officers of the Order of Unity were installed last Friday night by Supreme President McCreadie. After the ceremonies refreshments were served, and a social hour enjoyed.

The Free Church has voted to adopt the envelope system of weekly offerings.

Messrs. Longfellow, Alden and Harlow, the architects of the Taylor Cottage Dormitory of Phillips Academy, and of Mrs. Byers' residence on Central and School Sts., have been awarded the construction of the new Library and Music Hall building which Andrew Carnegie is to give the city of Pittsburgh. The number of competitors was ninety-four, and the building will cost \$700,000.

The Andover Custom Laundry is a new business here, located in the building formerly occupied by the Popular Cash Market.

Charles W. Clark was presented with a solid gold past regent's jewel at the meeting of Council 65 of the Royal Arcanum last Friday night.

There was a very enjoyable gathering in the Engine House Wednesday night, when the members of the company, several ex-members and other invited guests were tendered a feast of steamed clams by ex-chief, John L. Smith. The early part of the evening was spent socially and about 8.30 the order was given "to fall in for clams" and all at once repaired to the banquet hall, where great pans of steaming hot clams awaited them. The way the clams disappeared was a caution, for all seemed to heartily relish them. Some had a friendly strife to see who would eat the most and one well-known gentleman earned a great victory, but as he is very modest, his name, at his own earnest request, is withheld. After this all again returned to the parlors, where games, recitation and songs made the remainder of the evening pass in an exceedingly pleasant manner.

William Allen, who has been gardener for W. H. Wood, has taken the same position for S. M. Weld in Dedham.

Miss Anna Libbey is visiting in Toledo, O.

Rev. J. S. Voorhees, of Rocky Hill, N.J., and a graduate of the Seminary, has been in town this week.

Nelson St. John has left the employ of the Craighead & Kintz Co., and accepted a position with Matthews & Willard of Waterbury, Conn.

Miss Annie Gallant, who has been connected with Mrs. Watson, dressmaker, has gone to Danielsonville, Conn.

The Engine House is to be lighted by electricity.

Nelson A. Merrill has been elected second assistant foreman of the Engine Company, in place of Homer Martin resigned.

District Deputy Sanborn of Lawrence, assisted by W. P. Reagan, installed the officers of the Indian Ridge Council of the Royal Arcanum, Tuesday night.

Dr. C. W. Scott, one of our well-known physicians, and Miss Lizzie P. Field, of South Newmarket, N.H., were married on Thursday at the house of the bride's parents. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Trickey and was witnessed by only the immediate family friends and relatives. A two weeks trip South will be taken after which the new couple will reside at the doctor's pleasant residence on Main Street. Many Andover friends will extend hearty congratulations to Dr. and Mrs. Scott.

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## CONDENSED NEWS.

Friday, Jan. 8.

The bishop of Litchfield, Eng., is dead. A trinity student was found dead in a well at Guilford, Conn.

There is an unprecedented amount of American cotton at Liverpool.

Senator Chandler proposes legislation to regulate the free pass system.

Dr. Joseph Hilton, a brother of Judge Henry Hilton, died at New York.

The Houston (Tex.) office of the Wells-Fargo express was robbed of \$10,000.

Unconfirmed rumors report friction between France and England at Tangiers.

The "Duke of Japonaki" (Michael Travers), the recluse poet of Alaska, is insane.

Daniel McCarthy of Woburn, Mass., 71 years old, was burned to death in his house.

Ernest Wilhelm Brucke, the well-known German physiologist, died at Berlin, aged 73.

Eben S. Draper was elected chairman of the Massachusetts Republican state committee.

Two attachments have been served on Colonel Jonas H. French of Boston for \$60,000 each.

A horse car was struck by a train at Chicago and smashed. The passengers were not seriously injured.

Dr. Wyman has been appointed surgeon general of the marine hospital service, and Dr. Hamilton surgeon.

The daughter of Congressman Cross of Vermont inherits his fortune of \$1,000,000; she eloped ten years ago.

Rear Admiral Melancton Smith of the United States navy (retired) is dangerously sick with grip at New York.

The Earl of Litchfield is dead. He was born in 1825 and descended from Admiral Anson. His eldest son succeeds him.

Frank G. Grogan, president of the Hartford Telegram Publishing company, died of Bright's disease. He was 38 years old.

The mysterious pamphlet which deals with alleged questionable relations of the Prince of Wales and Lady Brooke is said to have been prepared by Lady Bessborough.

The weir fishing season on Cape Cod has about closed. Nineteen shoal and deep water weirs have been in operation at Provincetown, the gross stock of which is about 25,000.

Saturday, Jan. 9.

Scanian, the actor, has been taken to Bloomingdale asylum.

William W. Wheelton, journalist and historian, died at Concord, Mass.

The Society of Sons of Naval Veterans of Massachusetts has been organized.

A family consisting of eight persons were murdered and robbed in Poland.

An English syndicate has secured control of twenty-three Utah flour mills.

Marius A. Plasse, the Worcester (Mass.) embezzler, has been arrested in New York.

Mrs. Emory D. Harmon of Deering, Me., died suddenly, the result of an overdose of morphine.

A motion to set aside the verdict against Dr. Graves has been presented to the court at Denver, Col.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Tuttle of Newton, Mass., celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Thursday.

A colony of people has returned to Manchester, N. H., from Honduras, and tells a story of misadventure and hardship.

There is a belief that the supreme court will rule against the Church of the Holy Trinity, New York, for importing a minister.

A body, supposed to be that of Mrs. Johanna Lowney, missing from New Bedford, Mass., was found on Scituate Neck point.

Deacon Sheldon, a prominent Duxbury (Mass.) citizen, had a paralytic shock on a train, and died soon after arrival at Plymouth.

A Green's Farms (Conn.) Congregational minister has been asked to resign, on account of a supposed leaning toward Catholicism.

Mourners at a funeral in New Bedford, Mass., were refused admission to a Catholic cemetery, and the casket was taken in over the wall.

Charles Mitchell of Middleboro, Mass., who has a family dependent upon him for support, was committed to the Taunton insane asylum.

The grand jury at New Haven returned true bills for murder in the second degree against James E. Hine of Bethany and George Battis of Wallingford.

Mayor Briggs of Middletown, Conn., has received a proposition from a manufacturing firm to move to Middletown if the business men will purchase \$150,000 of the stock.

Jerome McIntire and Samuel Brackett, aged about 18, arrested for burglarizing Bean & Son's grocery store, Biddeford, Me., admit their guilt, but say they were intoxicated.

Sunday, Jan. 10.

A blinding snowstorm prevails in Vienna.

The Italian ironclad Dandolo has sailed for Tangier.

The site for the government building at Haverhill, Mass., is practically settled.

A rope broke at a Georgia hanging and the execution was delayed an hour and a half.

The belief is growing stronger that Daniel McCarthy of Woburn, Mass., was murdered.

A Maine woman sold a cow to get money to employ an officer to search for her wayward daughter.

The body of a man named Dennis Coffey was found on the railroad track near Ayer (Mass.) Junction.

Colonel Ingersoll has bought the Central division of the Cincinnati, Jackson and Mackinaw railroad.

The 100th anniversary of the birth of Dr. Lowell Mass was celebrated at Medfield, Mass., Saturday.

There is a remonstrance from Bath (Me.) ship owners against an American registry for the foreign built steamships Foxhall and Oteri.

Monday, Jan. 11.

New England congressmen are to formulate a plan of concerted action.

The Missouri State university was nearly destroyed by fire. Loss, \$300,000.

Chief Justice Field of the Massachusetts supreme court denies that he intends to resign.

Minister Prince says that the statement that a revolution in Hayti is impending is absurd.

A dispatch from Valencia, Spain, says a violent snowstorm has caused much damage there.

Severe snowstorms continue throughout the United Kingdom. Traffic is badly interfered with.

Five persons were drowned through the capsizing of a boat in the harbor of St. Valery, France.

One of the Chicago anarchists has been

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LAWRENCE.

arrested in connection with the Walsall dynamite affair.

A resolution is to be offered in the house for an inquiry into the Maverick and other national bank failures.

Albert C. Hendrick, for twenty-six years president of the New Haven fire department, has resigned.

Rt. Rev. Henry Philpott, D. D., formerly bishop of Worcester, died at London. He was in his 84th year.

The Fitchburg (Mass.) Athletic club opened its new rooms with a full-dress reception, a dance and a banquet.

Anarchists made a bold night attack on Xeres, Spain, and were repulsed by the troops, and many prisoners taken.

Tuesday, Jan. 12.

George G. Crocker resigned his position as Massachusetts railroad commissioner.

A suit for false imprisonment is threatened against the superintendent of police of Keeler, N. H.

Judge Wood's confirmation as circuit judge will be strongly opposed by Democratic senators.

Professor Arthur Fairbanks of Dartmouth college was ordained to the ministry at St. Johnsbury, Vt.

In Belfast, Me., Lewis Brensler, for manslaughter, was sentenced to ten months in the county jail.

The gold medal contest between Ruth Cleveland and Baby McKee at a Chicago bazaar was won by the former child.

Fred Beedy, employed in lumbering in Redington, Me., was so badly crushed by logs that he died before a doctor could reach him.

Congressman Crosby proposes to simplify the classification of mail matter by consolidating the third and fourth classes at a 1 cent rate.

Lydia A. Walker, 17 years old, was caught setting fire to a barn at Columbus, Wis. When put in jail she confessed to fifteen like depredations.

Startling charges of malfeasance in office have been made against ex-Premier Mercer and his late colleague, and a royal commission of inquiry has been appointed.

The grip, followed by pneumonia, is causing many deaths in Danville, West Concord, St. Johnsbury Center, and elsewhere in Vermont. In some cases whole families are prostrated.

Wednesday, Jan. 13.

Mgr. Magnasco, archbishop of Genoa, died of influenza.

The death is reported of Judge Addison J. Wiley of Illinois.

The Benedictine abbey, Fecamp, France, was destroyed by fire.

Thirty degrees below zero is reported from zero at Cascade Springs, S. D.

Offensive partisanship will not be tolerated in government offices, so it is said.

There is a contest over the will of the late Nehemiah Kittredge of Bangor, Me.

Freight trains were wrecked at Castile, N. Y., and two men were burned to death.

The Lowell (Mass.) common council is in a deadlock on the election of city messenger.

More deaths occurred in Boston in 1891 than in any one year in the history of the city.

An investigation of the Maverick and other national bank failures will soon begin.

The Piscataqua bank at Portsmouth, N. H., is not seriously affected by the recent run.

Viscount Dillon, sixteenth bearer of that title in the Irish peerage, died at London, aged 80.

In Amsterdam, N. Y., there are 300 cases of scarlet fever, and the epidemic is on the increase.

A compromise between the pope and King Humbert on questions at issue between them is reported.

The New Hampshire cattle commissioners have issued an order requiring cattle from Massachusetts to be quarantined.

Examination of candidates for the navy academy from the Sixth congressional district of Massachusetts is to be held this month.

Thursday, Jan. 14.

There is ice and snow in Texas.

Mrs. Mackay is to sell her Paris house. London flour mills were destroyed by fire.

A Winchester (Mass.) man was fatally burned.

The English police continue to arrest anarchists.

Railroad trains collided at New Haven. Two men were killed.

British occupation of Egypt prevent foreign intrigue there.

Keener & Pike, grain dealers, Meridonia, Ill., have assigned.

The starving Russian peasants are committing terrible crimes.

The San Antonio and Aransas Pass railroad strikers are beaten.

Thousands of Jewish families are reduced to beggary by rioters.

German Socialists will boycott firms not agreeing to their scale of wages.

Thirteen persons were injured in a railway accident near Liberty, Neb.

Premier Mercer's downfall is said to be due to his annexation sentiments.

Steamer Nanchow foundered off the China coast, and 414 persons were drowned.

Freeman & Crankshaw at Atlanta, jewelers, have failed. Liabilities, \$60,000; assets, \$160,000.

A fire in the extensive carpet house of J. B. Brady & Co., St. Joseph, Mo., caused a loss of \$150,000; insured.

Joseph H. Coates & Co., Philadelphia, extensive cotton dealers, are embarrassed. Assets and liabilities not stated.

The Russian steamer Emilia, bound from Cardiff for a Black sea port, has foundered at sea. Her crew have arrived at Vigo.

George A. Mooney, tanner, Montreal, has assigned. The liabilities exceed \$100,000. W. L. Montgomery of Boston is one of the creditors.

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BOSTON TO ANDOVER. A. M. 6.00 acc. arrive in Andover, 7.02; 7.30 acc. ar. 8.35; 9.30 acc. ar. 10.34; 10.35 acc. ar. 11.30; 11.15 acc. ar. 12.22. P. M. 12.00 ex. ar. 12.50; 1.30 ex. ar. 1.00; 2.15 ex. ar. 3.04; 2.30 acc. ar. 3.42; 3.20 ex. ar. 4.05; 4.02 acc. ar. 5.00; 5.00 ex. ar. 5.45; 6.00 ex. ar. 6.47; 6.35 acc. ar. 7.31; 7.00 acc. ar. 7.52; 11.00 ex. ar. 11.45. SUNDAY: A. M. 8.00 acc. ar. 9.06; 11.45 ar. 12.40. P. M. 5.00 acc. ar. 6.14; 6.00 ex. ar. 6.47; 7.00 acc. ar. 8.02.

ANDOVER TO LOWELL. A. M. 7.45 arrive in Lowell 8.34; 8.33 ar. 9.02; 9.47 ar. 10.36; 10.35 ar. 11.04; 11.10 ar. 11.42. P. M. 12.37 ar. 1.06; 1.40 ar. 2.45; 2.44 ar. 3.15; 4.25 ar. 5.07; 5.50 ar. 6.16; 7.11 ar. 7.44; 9.39 ar. 10.08. SUNDAY: A. M. 8.33 ar. 9.19. P. M. 12.20 ar. 12.56; 4.32 ar. 5.01; 5.58 ar. 6.36; 7.51 ar. 8.20.

LOWELL TO ANDOVER. A. M. 8.35 ar. 9.00; 9.30 ar. 10.24; 10.55 ar. 11.30. P. M. 12.20 ar. 12.50; 1.00 ar. 1.25; 3.05 ar. 3.42; 3.30 ar. 4.05; 5.10 ar. 5.45; 6.15 ar. 6.47; 6.55 ar. 7.31; 11.10 ar. 11.45. SUNDAY: 8.20 ar. 9.06. P. M. 12.05 ar. 12.40; 6.35 ar. 6.14; 7.30 ar. 8.02.

ANDOVER TO LAWRENCE. A. M. 7.02, 8.23, 9.00, 10.24, 11.30. P. M. 12.22, 12.50, 1.09, 1.26, 3.04, 3.42, 4.05, 5.00, 5.45, 6.47, 7.31, 7.52. SUNDAY: A. M. 9.06. P. M. 12.40, 6.14, 6.47, 8.02.

LAWRENCE TO ANDOVER. A. M. 6.40, 7.30, 7.55, 8.20, 9.30, 10.30, 11.00. P. M. 12.05, 12.25, 1.15, 1.25, 2.10, 2.35, 4.00, 5.35, 6.40, 7.04, 8.30. SUNDAY: 7.35, 8.15. P. M. 12.10, 4.25, 5.35, 7.44.

\*To and from South side.

GOING EAST. A. M. 7.02 H. N. 8.23, 9.00, 10.24 H. P. M. 12.50 N. 1.26, 3.42 N. 4.05, 5.45, 6.47 H. N. 7.52 H. SUNDAY. A. M. 9.06 H. P. M. 6.47, 8.25 H.

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LEAVE STATION FOR ANDOVER.—6.00, 6.40, 7.15, 7.45, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45, 10.15, 10.45, 11.15, 11.45, 12.15, 12.45, 1.15, 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 4.45, 5.15, 5.45, 6.15, 6.45, 7.15, 7.45, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45, 10.15, P. M.

LEAVE ANDOVER SEMINARY FOR BERKELEY STREET, LAWRENCE.—15.30, 6.30, 7.15, 7.45, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45, 10.15, 10.45, 11.15, 11.45 A. M. 12.15, 12.45, 1.15, 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 4.45, 5.15, 5.45, 6.15, 6.45, 7.15, 7.45, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45, 10.15, P. M.

## SUNDAY TIME.

LEAVE BERKELEY ST. FOR ANDOVER.—8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30, 11.00, 11.30, 12.00 A. M. 12.30, 1.00, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, P. M.

LEAVE ANDOVER SEMINARY FOR BERKELEY ST. 9.15, 9.45, 10.15, 10.45, 11.15, 11.45 A. M. 12.15, 12.45, 1.15, 1.45, 2.15, 2.45, 3.15, 3.45, 4.15, 4.45, 5.15, 5.45, 6.15, 6.45, 7.15, 7.45, 8.15, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45, 10.15, P. M.

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 15, 1892.

Our citizens have nearly two months in which to make up their minds that a good, round sum is needed on Andover roads in 1892.

Selectman Stark is the only member of the board to go out—and he expects to, and probably will,—go in again.

We understand that five cottages are now assured to Phillips. Let the good work go on!

**Lawrence and Den Rock.**

The city of Lawrence is somewhat disturbed over the question of additional cemetery accommodations, and in his recent inaugural, Mayor Doe strongly urges that the Den Rock property be put to the use for which it was originally intended.

This recommendation of the mayor is in spite of the report of a special commission to the effect that to make a cemetery of this property, would be very expensive and not really feasible. Andover men who are acquainted with this property have always been of the same mind as this commission, and have never been able to see how this acreage of rocks and swamp was ever to be converted into a place for burying the dead. What Lawrence shall do for a cemetery is not a matter for discussion in Andover; what the disposition of this wild and almost historic spot that has been the location of the Devil's den to Andover youth for so many ages, whose dark recesses and bold cliffs have caused many legends and tales, from whose shadow went forth the Indian maiden whose tears flowed forth to make the flood, and whose wanderings in and out mapped the course of the Shawshien valley; in the use of this place, Andover has a very great interest. And from that interest may we not suggest the fact that this spot, under the hand of an Olmstead, could be made one of the most beautiful parks in this country. Solid rocks and swamps make poor resting places for the dead, but the landscape artist hails them with delight. Lawrence may be as well supplied with parks, etc. as many cities, but no city or town has too many. The natural attractiveness of the Den Rock land is largely in its favor for a public park. Its distance from the city is made but a trifle by the street railway system, and while there is almost no limit to the money which may be spent on such places, it would here take but little to make a start to this end. It would certainly be a pity to spoil a really beautiful park in order to make a poor cemetery and we sincerely hope the governing power in Lawrence will consider the matter carefully before doing such an act.

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## Annual Meetings.

ANDOVER NATIONAL BANK.

The stockholders of the Andover National Bank met Tuesday afternoon in their banking rooms, and elected the following directors for the year 1892: Moses T. Stevens, John H. Flint, John F. Kimball, Joseph A. Smart, John Cornell, Horace H. Tyer, George H. Torr. Moses T. Stevens was re-elected president and John H. Flint vice-president. Mr. Edward Taylor, after a long service, declined a re-election as a director.

MERRIMACK MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE CO.

The annual meeting of the members of the Merrimack Mutual Fire Insurance Company was held in their rooms in the Bank Building Monday afternoon. John A. Wiley of North Andover was elected a director to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Geo. L. Davis. Each year three new directors are elected for a term of four years, and the following were chosen at this time: Hon. James H. Carleton of Haverhill, Hezekiah Plummer of Lawrence, and Joseph A. Smart of town. Subsequently W. S. Jenkins was re-elected president and J. A. Smart secretary and treasurer. The secretary's report was read and accepted, and it showed that the year of 1891 had been a successful one, and that the company is in its usual prosperous condition. The total cash assets of the company are \$344,391.54 against \$335,169.91 for last year, showing a material increase. The company has paid in dividends the past year \$47,912. As formerly seventy per cent dividends are paid on five year policies, forty on three, and twenty-five on one.

SOUTH CHURCH.

The South Church also held its annual meeting last night, and in spite of the many adverse circumstances, the attendance was very gratifying. After a social hour, the regular business meeting was held. The reports of the various church officers were read and accepted, and gave some very interesting facts. The election of officers resulted as follows: deacon, T. F. Pratt; member of standing committee, George A. Parker; superintendent of Sunday School, John Alden; assistant, John V. Holt; librarian, J. A. Burr; assistant, Will Minor; superintendent of Primary Department, Mrs. J. E. Johnson; assistant, Mrs. David Shaw.

When the business had been concluded, supper, provided by the ladies, was served by Page and Co., of Lawrence, in a very satisfactory manner. A roll call of the members of the church followed the supper, and about 100 answered to their names, and many others sent words of regret at their inability to be present. The remainder of the evening was spent in a social manner, and brought to a close another very pleasant annual gathering.

Superintendent Alden's report showed that at the close of the year 1891, the school numbered 241 scholars, 29 teachers, and 6 officers. The average attendance was 153, which was about 55 per cent of the total membership. Five members of the school joined the church during the year, and one, Miss Phoebe Abbott, died. The primary department numbers 60 scholars. Librarian H. W. Barnard reported that the library consisted of 246 books, and that the average circulation each Sunday was 31. The Home Department, which was organized last year, has been a great benefit, and the roll during the year numbered 65 members.

FREE CHURCH.

The annual meeting of the Free Church was held last evening, and considering the condition of the travelling and that there is much sickness, there was a large attendance. In every particular the meeting was a successful and enjoyable one. After social greetings in the large audience room, all marched to the vestry where very neatly appearing and heavily laden tables showed that the ladies had worked faithfully in preparing an excellent supper. Young men and ladies acted as waiters. The pastor, Rev. Mr. Wilson, called the meeting to order and invoked divine blessing. After the wants of the inner man had been satisfied, greetings to the South Church, which was holding a similar meeting, were read and then sent to that church. Then came a roll-call of the members of the church, and over one hundred and fifty answered to their names, or sent letters of regret, or some other word. Prayer was made by Deacon William C. Donald in particular reference to the absentees after which the clerk, John N. Cole, read his report which was approved and adopted. This showed that the total membership of the church is now 340. The report of Mrs. J. Newton Cole, treasurer, was also accepted. Interesting reports from the different departments of the church work were given, as follows: Ladies' Benevolent Society, Mrs. Charles W. Clark; Y.P.S.C.E. J. Newton Cole; Children's Whatsoever Mission, Mrs. Wilson; Sunday-School, Herbert Goff; the latter report showed a total membership in the school of 329, average attendance, for the year, 232; largest attendance, 284; smallest, 67; members of Home Department, 52.

The nominating committee, consisting of J. Newton Cole, William Coutts, and Mrs. J. W. Poor, then reported the following list of officers for the ensuing year and they were elected:

Clerk—Herbert Goff.  
Treasurer—Mrs. J. Newton Cole.  
Deacon—William C. Donald.  
Examining Committee—Stephen Jackson, Thomas Smithson, with pastor, deacons and clerk.  
Deaconess—Mrs. Milo Gould.  
Choir Committee—John W. Bell, Joseph A. Smart, Charles W. Clark, James Spence, David Leslie, David S. Lindsay.

Sunday-School Committee.—Mrs. J. W. Poor, John N. Cole, Fannie Meldrum. Ushers.—George A. Higgins, William Scott, Charles H. Bell, Jr., A. B. Saunders, F. B. Goff, William Lunan.

The following benevolent objects will receive contributions the coming year: American Board of Commissioners of Foreign Missions; American Home Missionary Society; Congregational Sunday School and Publishing Society; Congregational Union; New West Education Commission; American College and Educational Society; Seamen's Friend Society.

## Report of Chief Police.

The annual report of Chief of Police Cheever has been prepared and the following will give some idea of what has been done during the past year:

**ARRESTS.**

Adultery,	1
Assault with dangerous weapon,	1
Assault simple,	12
Bastardy,	1
Breaking and entering building,	1
Disturbing the peace,	9
Drunks,	6
Evading fare,	2
Illegal keeping of liquor,	1
Insane,	4
Killing woodcock out of season,	1
Larceny,	6
Malicious mischief,	1
Riding bicycles on sidewalk,	2
Standing on sidewalk after being requested to move,	1
Setting fire,	1
Selling ice cream on Sunday,	1
<b>Total,</b>	<b>57</b>

**DISPOSAL OF CASES.**

Appealed,	1
Bound over to Grand Jury,	3
Cases pending in High Court,	2
Committed to jail,	9
Committed to Danvers,	1
Committed to Lyman School,	1
Dismissed with payment of cost,	1
Discharged at lower court,	4
Discharged at high court,	1
Discharged by officers,	29
Paid fines,	1
Placed on file at lower court,	2
Placed on file at high court,	1

**MISCELLANEOUS.**

Burglaries reported,	7
Number of search warrants served,	243
Cases investigated,	2
Doors found open at night and secured,	3
Windows found open in stores and closed,	3
Number of dogs killed,	40
Strayed teams cared for,	6
Intoxicated persons cared for,	6
Lanterns placed in dangerous places,	7
Number of permits given to tramps,	1040
Persons locked up,	32
Suspicious persons reported,	9
Value of property reported stolen,	\$3850
Value of property recovered,	159
Value of equipments in hands of police,	125

## Andover Cottage Fund.

BOSTON, JAN. 12, 1892.

To the Editor of the Townsman:

It may be of interest to the citizens of Andover to know the condition of the Andover Cottage Fund of which the undersigned was appointed treasurer at the meeting held last spring. It is impossible to state exactly at the present time the amounts subscribed at that meeting and subsequently thereto. They approximate however, to \$8,000. Of this amount there has been received and deposited with the International Trust Company of Boston the sum of \$2,967.84; out of this has been paid the various expenses incurred in printing, etc., amounting to \$31.50, leaving a balance of \$2,936.34.

It will be seen that there is still a large proportion of the subscriptions unpaid. It would meet the wishes of the committee if all the subscriptions, other than those the time of payment of which is otherwise provided for, should be paid during the month of January.

MARCUS MORTON,  
Treasurer Andover Cottage Fund.

## Essex County Finances.

The statement of County Treasurer E. Kendall Jenkins will show that the past year was a prosperous one for the county. The total receipts for the year were \$530,728.37, which included from county tax, \$222,890; loans, \$30,000; interest, \$1827.06; from Ipswich house of correction, \$6937.38; Lawrence do., \$5630.05; Salem, do., \$6818.52; Newburyport jail, \$455.34.

The probation drunk law lessened in a marked degree the receipts in fines and fees from police and district courts which this year were but \$2782 as against \$25,161.03 last year. The receipts from dog licenses were \$22,889.70; from the truant school for five months, \$1457.89; from trial justices, \$975.23; from clerk of the supreme court, \$3895.10. Forty-four seals were shot at Rowley, Ipswich, and Newburyport, for which the county paid \$1 apiece. The expenditures were \$403,561; for interest, \$12,003.35; cost of Ipswich house of correction, including \$1600 for land, \$20,944.01; of Lawrence house of correction, \$22,331.31; of Salem house of correction, \$13,163.60; of Newburyport jail, \$14,983.71; crime, prosecutions, \$22,528.07; jurors, \$14,504.69; court officers, \$4603.29; constables, \$461.07; insanity, \$3744.91; medical examiners and inquests, \$1945.30; county salaries, \$18,100; salaries of justices and clerks of district and police courts, \$19,039.75; truant school (including cost of plant, \$15,490.94), \$20,597.92; repairs of court houses, \$35,493.32; highways and bridges, \$26,466.00; law library, \$3458.06; unexpended dog licenses, \$17,102.46; dog damages, \$5177.70.

The outstanding notes amount to \$310,000. The cash on hand in the treasury is \$127,167.37 and the net indebtedness of the county is \$188,453.38, a reduction over last year of \$22,003.75.

## Resolutions passed by G. A. R.

WHEREAS, it hath pleased him who governs all things to remove by death our comrade and fellow-soldier, Moses B. Abbott, therefore

Resolved: That while we bow in humble submission to the will of Divine Providence, we mourn the loss of our late comrade, an ardent patriot and pleasant companion.

Resolved: That we offer to the family and relatives of the deceased our heartfelt sympathy in this their time of affliction.

Resolved: That our charter be draped in mourning for thirty days.

Resolved: That a copy of these resolutions be placed on the record of the Post, and that a copy be forwarded to the family of the deceased, and to the ANDOVER TOWNSMAN and Lawrence American for publication.

J. WARREN BERRY,  
MOSES L. FARNHAM,  
Committee.

## Card of Thanks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. M. von Grave desire to express their sincere thanks for and appreciation of the many kindnesses and sympathy shown during their recent illness and affliction.

## Obituary.

NELSON BODWELL.

Nelson Bodwell died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Geo. S. Cole, last Sunday night at the advanced age of 88 years and 3 months. He had been well and strong up to this winter, but old age has been sadly dealt with the past few months and his death came without any sickness other than the gradual failing of strength on account of his years. Mr. Bodwell was for a long time a farmer in Boxford and Georgetown, but at the death of his wife about ten years ago he removed to Andover and has since resided with his only daughter on Maple Avenue.

Besides Mrs. Cole, he leaves two sons, L. W. Bodwell, now living in Andover, and Sanford Bodwell of Providence, R. I. Funeral services were conducted at his late home, by Rev. J. J. Blair. Mr. Bodwell was one of the oldest, if not the oldest man in town.

Do you read the "Observatory" on page six of every issue of the Townsman?

## Sunday Services for Jan. 17.

SOUTH CHURCH.—10.30 A. M. Rev. J. J. Blair will preach. Sunday School at noon. Evening service at 7.15.

CHRIST CHURCH.—Morning service at 10.30. Rev. Frederick Palmer will preach. Second service at 7.15.

FREE CHURCH.—Sermon at 10.30 by Rev. F. A. Wilson. Sunday School at 12 M. Y. P. S. C. E. prayer meeting at 6.15. Evening service at 7.

CHAPEL.—Morning service at 10.30. Prof. Tucker will preach. Afternoon service at 4.30. WEST CHURCH.—Framing service at 10.30. Sunday school at 12 M. Evening at 7 in the vestry, also in Osgood and Abbott districts.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—Framing at 10.30 by Rev. Geo. W. Clough. Sunday School at close of forenoon service. Prayer service at 7.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH.—Services at 8.30 A. M. and 3.30 P. M. 10.30 A. M. High Mass and sermon by Rev. J. J. Ryan.

## Advertised Letters.

The following is the list of unclaimed letters advertised Jan. 11, 1892.

Abbott, Mary C.	Loving, Martin
Buckley, Mrs. D. J.	Moore, Mrs. Anna
Cralk, James	Stafford, Matilda Miss
Coster, Mrs. O. H.	Weeks, Mrs. C. M.
Hastings, Miss Eva	Care Geo. Worcester.
Jones, Mrs. Annie	Wardman, Miss Emily

## BIRTHS.

In North Andover, January 8, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Whitaker.

In North Andover, January 11, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Clement H. Legrand.

In North Andover, January 14, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. George W. Blanchard.

In Frye Village, January 13, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Morris Donahue.

In Andover, January 9, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Goodwin.

## MARRIAGES.

In Andover, Jan. 9, by Geo. A. Putnam, David Burke and Susan O'Neil.

In Andover, Jan. 10, by Geo. H. Poor Esq., Thomas Scott and Ella Herrall.

In Ballardvale, Jan. 14, by Rev. Dr. F. E. Clark assisted by Rev. E. B. Barry, William Shaw to Mary Agnes Holmes.

In Ballardvale, Jan. 13, by Rev. W. F. Stewart, Joseph Estell of Manitoba to Mary Crawford of Ballardvale.

## DEATHS.

In Andover, Jan. 9, Barbara Morris, aged 51 years, 5 months and 10 days.

In Andover, Jan. 11, Nelson Bodwell, aged 88 years, 3 months and 17 days.

In West Parish, Jan. 12, Branch G. Guttersen, aged 71 years and 5 days.

In Tewksbury, Jan. 11, Walter Brown, late of Tewksbury, aged 68 years 8 months.

In Ballardvale, Jan. 12, of the Grippe, Elsie Rosalie Volakis Ethel von Grave, infant daughter of Lothar and Gabrielle von Grave, aged 7 weeks.

Ladies clean your kid gloves with the Mousquetaire Glove Cleaner. For sale only by T. A. Holt & Co., where may be found a full line of Dry Goods notions, ladies furnishings, and fancy goods.



## BALLARDVALE.

Walter Brown, late of this town, was found dead in his house in Tewksbury, last Monday morning. Medical examiner Irish who was called pronounced the cause as heart disease.

Mr. and Mrs. Lothar A. M. von Grave have many sympathizers in their time of affliction. Their beloved infant daughter Voliska died Tuesday of pneumonia after a short illness. The funeral was held from the house yesterday, Rev. Frederic Palmer officiating. The floral tributes were many and beautiful, the Co-mopolitan Society, the employees of Mr. von Grave's department at Craighead & Kintz Co.'s, Mr. G. W. Simmons, Mrs. Craighead, Mr. Noessel, Mrs. Fischer, Mrs. Skipp contributing.

Mr. Joseph Kintz of the Pittsburgh Brass Co. has been in town three or four days this week. The smoke and dirt of that smoky city evidently agrees with him as he looks better than he ever did when here. He was in good spirits too, and tells big stories of Pennsylvania enterprise.

The semi-annual meeting of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Union Church was held Monday evening. D. H. Poor was elected President; Arthur Shattuck, vice-President; Miss Nellie V. Sisco, Secretary; and F. H. Anderson, Treasurer; Mrs. Morse and Lilla Goodwin, organists.

A six-year-old son of John Perham was badly scalded with hot water, the early part of the week.

The Passion Play has been the subject of many lectures by lecturers good, bad, and indifferent, but Rev. J. J. Lewis, who took this as his subject Wednesday evening, in the Bradlee Course, spoke as an eye witness, and many of the views were photographed by himself on the spot. He is an entertaining talker, and has a ready command of language. His portrayal of the play and its characters was very fine.

The Y. M. P. U., a sort of a leap year organization, made up of young ladies, entertained the Y. L. P. U. and other friends at the hall of the latter society, Tuesday evening. A conveyance called for each gentleman, in fact, the young ladies attended to all those duties usually devolving on the sterner sex, and did it in much better style, too. Joseph Stott presided at the organ, furnishing music for the games. Ices and cake were prettily served. In short, the affair was nicely managed, and very pleasing to the entertained.

Joseph Estell of Manitoba was married Wednesday evening to Mary Crawford, daughter of Wm. Crawford, at the home of the bride's parents, by Rev. W. F. Stewart. The wedding was very quiet and private on account of serious illness of the bride's father, who is at the point of death. Mr. Estell returns to Manitoba immediately.

A wedding in which thousands of young people, members of the Y. P. S. C. E. all over the country, will be interested was solemnized here yesterday forenoon. William Shaw, Treasurer of the United Society of Christian Endeavor, and Manager of the Publishing Department of the same organization, was married to Miss Mary Agnes Holmes, at the residence of the bride's sister, Miss Nellie Holmes. The ceremony, which occurred at 11 o'clock, was performed by Rev. Dr. F. E. Clark, assisted by Rev. Mr. Barry. The bride was dressed in cream silk trimmed with lace, and carried the conventional bride's roses. After the ceremony, which was private, only members of the family being present, a wedding dinner was served by a caterer at the home of Mr. Benjamin Shaw. Mr. Shaw has hosts of friends made through his Christian Endeavor work, and the gifts were many and costly. They will reside here for the present, at least, and will be "at home" Thursday evenings in February.

Union Congregational Church. Rev. Mr. E. B. Barry, pastor. Sunday services as follows: 10.30, preaching, subject, "Balaam and his successors." Sabbath school at the close of morning service. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 p.m. Evening service will be omitted to join the union service at the Methodist Church at 7 o'clock. A hearty invitation is extended to all for all services. Bring the Gospel Hymns combined to the evening service.

A bright woman writes in a bright way of bright things in the "Observatory" on page six.

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## South Church Monday Evening Talks.

The Monday evening talks to be given under the auspices of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the South Church, at 7.30 o'clock, are as follows, together with their leaders:

January 18—"Earl of Shaftsbury," Rev. George H. Reed, Haverhill, Mass.

January 25.—Subject to be announced, Rev. Lawrence Phelps, Chelsea, Mass.

February 1—"A Summer's Ramble in the Dutch and English Holland," Rev. William E. Griffin, D.D., Boston, Mass.

February 8.—Subject to be announced, Rev. George E. Hall, Dover, N.H.

February 15—"How to be at Home at Home," Rev. J. L. Hill, D.D., Medford, Mass.

February 22—"A Medley of Riddles," Rev. C. H. Oliphant, Methuen, Mass.

## Abbott Village.

The arrangements for the Burns anniversary next Friday night are nearly completed. The entertainment programme will include readings by Prof. Churchill, and J. W. Smith, songs by D. M. Robb, Miss Hannah Howard, William Scott, and a quartette consisting of Misses Howard and Lindsay and Messrs. Scott and Lindsay.

The Burns Club will have a meeting in the Hall tomorrow night.

## Frye Village.

Mrs. Charles Hussey, Miss Jane Youngson and mother are quite ill.

Joseph Poulin, of Weymouth, visited at the home of Alexander Wilson this week.

Miss Winnie Burt has been substituting for Miss Helen Battles in the village school this week.

James Fortis, a brother of William Fortis, died at his home in Wilmington Saturday and the funeral services occurred Monday.

The meeting in the Hall, Monday evening to make further arrangements in regard to a tea party was a little more successful than the first one. It was decided to have one, the date to be decided upon and the following were chosen a committee to prepare it: Misses S. Annie Fortis, Marion L. Stott, Mary Campbell, Lizzie Soutar, and Nellie Playdon, Geo. Mayer, Harry and Calvert Playdon, Jos. Peters, A. Campbell and D. Haupt.

Do you read the "Observatory" on page six of every issue of the Townsman?

## LAWRENCE.

The board of mayor and aldermen met Monday, and after transacting several minor matters of business, Mayor Doe again nominated B. F. Chadbourne for the board of health, but he was rejected by a tie vote. The nomination of John Sheehan for city marshal met the same fate, and P. H. Donoghue for milk inspector was rejected 4 to 2. George J. Ames was appointed day janitor at the police station, and John Ogilvie night janitor. J. J. Mahoney was elected city solicitor on the eleventh ballot.

The new public library hall will be opened for the first time, Feb. 11, when Mrs. Annie Sawyer Downs lectures under the auspices of the Ladies Union Charitable Society.

The ball of the Merrimack Valley Street Railway Association last Friday night was a great success. Andover, No. Andover, and Ballardvale were well represented.

E. F. Searles of Methuen has sold the Methuen woolen mills property to James E. Treat, manufacturer of pipe organs.

The Laurel Club holds its annual ball next Monday night. It promises to be a brilliant event. Missus's Salem Cadet Band will furnish music.

The annual meeting of the Lawrence Riding Park Association was held Wednesday evening in the basement of City Hall. C. B. Smith was re-elected secretary and John F. Finn treasurer. The following directors were chosen: Hon. A. B. Bruce, Thomas Cornelie, John Ford, Clarence Churchill, Nathaniel Magoon, Charles S. Mayo, and W. J. Fennelly. The directors were instructed to petition the Merrimack Valley street railway company to extend a line of track to the park.

There were 23 deaths in this city last week. The two weeks previous there were 48 and 49 respectively.

The sick benefit funds of the endowment orders are being heavily drawn upon on account of the large amount of sickness in the city.

The Republican City Committee has organized temporarily with Harry R. Dow as chairman, and Henry Nice, Jr., secretary. This organization will probably be made permanent.

The political situation since the meeting of the Mayor and Aldermen, Monday night, is anything but pleasant. Mayor Doe's independence doesn't seem to suit.

The First Massachusetts heavy artillery will hold its annual winter reunion in Boston, Feb. 8. Hon. Hazen S. Pingree of Detroit, and Col. Shatswell of Washington are expected to be present.

Hoyt's humorous play, "A Bunch of Keys," will be given at the Opera House Monday evening, and Wednesday, the refined comedian, John Rice, in "A Knotty Affair."

John R. Poor, Esq., for the past fifteen years Register of Deeds for North District of Essex County has opened an office for the practice of law in the Pemberton Bank Building, at 253 Essex St.

## Pantaloony for January.

For the month of January the popular clothiers, W. H. Gile & Co., will turn their attention to pants, as this is the month for almost everybody to buy an extra pair of pants to piece out until spring. They have a special inducement to offer to the public in the prices of pants for this month. Having made this month a month for pants for the last seven years, they feel they have about the right idea what people want for pants, and shall endeavor to make this the banner pant month of their existence in Lawrence. Working men's, business men's, or pants for all kinds of men and boys at prices never before equalled in the history of the clothing business. See their window display.

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All-wool Camel's Hair Hose, that were 25c per pair, Now 17c

Gents' Full Length Suspenders, silk worked, that sold at 25c and 37 1-2c per pair, Now 19c

Lot of Cream-colored Gents' Mufflers, slightly soiled, at less than half price.

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## NEW DEVELOPMENTS

## SHOW THAT TENA DAVIS WAS MURDERED BY DROWNING.

Evidence Given by a Man Who Heard the Unfortunate Girl Plead for Mercy on the Lonely Bridge.

BOSTON, Jan. 13.—Says the Herald: The Herald is in a position to make public this morning, after careful research, the all-important piece of evidence has been zealously guarded by the detectives and officers on the case, for fear that it would be used against them by the defendants in setting up an alibi before it could be supported and used in court.

Although the Somerville police have not appeared conspicuously in the matter of this startling crime, yet the developments show that the whole case came to their attention first. Edward Fuller, who first discovered the body in the muddy creek off the channel of the Mystic river, near the draw of the Middlesex avenue bridge, called the attention of Dr. Andrew Leiby to the fact. It was the drawtender who, with his boat, recovered the remains. His first thought was to notify Captain Perry of the Somerville police, who had interested himself in the case enough to go over the ground Saturday with the Malden and Everett deputies. Chief Parkhurst immediately notified the Medford, Malden and Everett officers that the body had been found, and also Medical Examiner Durell to view the remains.

Following on the heels of the discovery of the body came the important evidence the same day, that the young woman had not committed suicide, but had been murdered in Cold Blood.

by being thrown into the Mystic river. Sunday afternoon a resident of Somerville, whose name is withheld that the law may not be obstructed, came to the Somerville police station in a state of excitement, and with much agitation related to the chief of police the story of the undoubted murder as he himself witnessed it on the night in question, Dec. 23. He also cleared up what has been a mystery to the press—the hour at which the crime was committed.

He told the police that he was on the mystic river near the draw in a boat the evening the dark deed was committed. It was 8 o'clock. The tide, which on Dec. 23 is high at 5:15 a. m. and p. m.—the only day in the year that it is so—was about half out. He was first attracted to the bridge by a cry for help. It was a woman's plaintive voice he heard.

She Pleaded for Mercy for the sake of God that her life might be spared. He heard a man's voice—but in the darkness and drizzling rain he could not distinguish the faces, only the forms. Names were called, and the Herald's informant was given to understand that the witness heard the woman use the word "Bert," by which familiar title Teneithen was usually addressed by Tena Davis.

The cries of the woman and the conversation seemed to the witness to last even longer, probably, than they really did, and when the victim realized that her fate was sealed, and that her lover intended to drown her, she burst into shrieks which ended with a splash.

in the water of the channel below, fully thirty feet from the bridge rail. Soon all was silent. The girl had gone down, risen again, floundered about, and then, by the weight of her heavy winter clothing, sunk lifeless to the bottom.

The autopsy of Medical Examiner Durell showed that Tena Davis met death by drowning. This is literally true, but that she was thrown overboard by a man who stood and watched her struggles until she sunk beneath the muddy waters of the Mystic there is now no doubt in the minds of the officers of the law.

## HE TALKS BUSINESS.

Commander Evans Won't Stand Any Abuse from Chilian Ruffians.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The following cable message from Commander Evans, commanding the gunboat Yorktown, the only United States vessel now in Chilian waters, is made public:

VALPARAISO, Jan. 9. Secretary of the Navy: Yesterday afternoon my gig, while lying off the landing place, waiting for me, was stoned by three men in a crowd of bad characters. No one injured. I visited immediately the Chilian naval officer and asked him to request him to notify police authorities here that I demanded their efficient protection, and that if the offense was repeated I should take the matter in my own hands and protect my men with arms. Much regret was expressed by the Chilian naval officer, who went at once to the police. Today I have assurance that the parties will be punished and protection given. EVANS

Blair May Go to China After All. NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—A special from Hong Kong says: It is rumored here that the Imperial Chinese council of state at Peking have withdrawn their objections to Henry W. Blair as minister from the United States, and this leaves Viceroy Prince Li Hung Chang at liberty to so advise the president.

He "Remembered" His Relatives. BOSTON, Jan. 13.—Solomon Abrahams of Boston gives one-third of his estate to the Hebrew Benevolent society of Boston, and two-thirds to the Boston Home for Aged and Infirm Hebrews and Orphans. The testator says in his will that he remembers all his "cousins, aunts, uncles and grandfathers, but I give them nothing."

Would-Be Settlers Starting in Early. BROWNS VALLEY, Minn., Jan. 11.—Congressman Pickler of South Dakota telegraphs that President Harrison will open the Sisseton-Wahpeton reservation to settlers about April 15. There are about 400 quarter sections open to homestead entry. Claimants are already here.

An Unusual Occurrence. WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—Secretary Noble has received a letter from an ex-soldier of Boston enclosing pension certificate No. 649,906, which the writer says he voluntarily relinquishes, as he does not wish further assistance from the government.

Senator John Sherman. COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 13.—The senate and house voted separately for United States senator. In the senate John Sherman received 18 votes and James F. Neal 9. In the house Sherman received 93 votes and Neal 29.

For Blaine. PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 13.—Republican primaries were elected delegates to the state convention that will elect delegates to the national convention. Fifty-five of fifty-eight delegates were elected with instructions to vote for Blaine for president.

## GRAVES TO BE HANGED.

Judge Rising Denies an Arrest of Judgment—Mrs. Graves Improving.

DENVER, Jan. 12.—Dr. Graves appeared in court yesterday, pursuant to the order of Judge Rising, and was denied an arrest of judgment, and sentenced to be hanged some time during the week beginning Jan. 31, 1892. Dr. Graves will probably wish to see his wife before being taken away. Thanks to the excellent care that is being given her, her condition continues to show steady improvement. The doctor passed the day in the same calm manner as at the previous days last week.

Dr. Graves was taken to the penitentiary at Canon City. Steel cuffs were on his hands and chains bound his feet. This is the first time he has been exposed to such indignity. He took the situation coolly, and was courteous and pleasant to the officers in charge.

Dr. Graves will be kept in solitary confinement from now on to the day of his death, the hour of which will not be made known until after the execution. The CANON CITY, Col., Jan. 13.—Dr. Graves is quite cheerful. He was excused from having his hair and whiskers removed and was not compelled to wear a striped suit. The doctor speaks confidently of an early release and says he could not live if he thought he had to live here long.

## BEHRING SEA AGAIN.

Points of Interest Settled at a Meeting of the Cabinet.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The Behring sea question was before the cabinet yesterday. It is understood the case has taken a favorable turn within the past few days and that Secretary Blaine has been advised that Lord Salisbury will agree to his suggestion as to the method of selecting three of the arbitrators from countries which have no interest in the questions at issue. When these three arbitrators have been agreed upon there need be no further delay in deciding upon the personnel of the tribunal, it having already been arranged that the United States and Great Britain shall each have the appointment of two of the other members. Another point settled is that one of Great Britain's representatives shall be a resident of Canada. The prospects are that one of the arbitrators on the part of the United States shall be selected from the Republican party and the other from the Democratic party. Edward J. Phelps, ex-minister to England, is mentioned as most likely to be one of the arbitrators on the part of the United States.

## PNEUMONIA AND PLEURISY.

Death of Charles A. White, the Well-known Composer of Songs.

BOSTON, Jan. 14.—Charles A. White, who is well known to the musical world as the composer of songs which have attained exceptional popularity and from his connection with the White, Smith Publishing company, died at his residence, 218 Columbus avenue, about 3 o'clock yesterday morning, from pneumonia, complicated with pleurisy. He was born in Taunton, Mass., and, although of a musical nature, he received little education in that line, as his boyhood was spent upon a farm.

As a boy he manufactured musical instruments for his own use, which were wonderfully good. Among his songs which achieved the greatest popularity were "When 'tis Midnight," "When the Leaves Begin to Turn," "A Bird from over the Sea" and "Marguerite." He has also written the score to one or two light operas. He was at the head of the White-Smith Publishing company.

## Governor Russell's Second Term.

BOSTON, Jan. 8.—A vast assemblage was present at the inauguration day ceremonies at the state house. In the representatives' chamber Hon. William E. Russell took the oath of office and entered upon his second term as governor of the commonwealth of Massachusetts. Very little business, and that of regulation character, was transacted in either branch, and there was no special departure from established usage in the ceremonies of the joint convention.

## What Say New Englanders?

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—At the convention of the Apostolate of the Press, George Parsons Lathrop read a paper upon "The Missionary Outlook in New England." The author spoke of discussions he had had upon the subject with his Protestant friends. He said that if the claims of the Roman Catholic church were properly presented to the people of New England they would abandon the faith of their forefathers and embrace Catholicism.

The Biddeford Naturalization Case. WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—In the summer of 1890 a number of citizens of Maine were naturalized by the municipal court of Biddeford, which naturalization was declared illegal by the court of last resort of that state. Mr. Cummings of New York has introduced a bill to validate the naturalization. The bill was introduced in the last congress, but failed to pass.

## Befriends the Aged.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Jan. 13.—Primus Parsons Mason, 75 years old, one of the most interesting colored characters of the city, died yesterday and leaves property variously estimated at from \$30,000 to \$50,000 to found a home for worthy old men. He also bequeaths \$3000 to the fund for aged couples.

## Six Orphans Left Behind.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Jan. 11.—John T. Ward, a horse clipper, was found dead yesterday, in a loft over his place of business on Dwight street. He had not been seen since Thursday. He had tried to climb up a board to reach some scantling on the rafters and fell and broke his neck. He is a widower and leaves six children.

## Unusual Weather for Halifax.

HALIFAX, Jan. 13.—Halifax is experiencing the most extraordinary winter weather in its history. No snow has fallen so far, and there have been but one or two cold days. Yesterday was as mild as a spring day and rain fell. The unusual weather is the cause of a great deal of the prevailing sickness.

## Egypt's Ruler Dead.

CAIRO, Jan. 8.—The Khedive is dead. He had been suffering from influenza, which developed into congestion of the lungs. This was complicated with a cardiac affection, and last evening he succumbed.

## A Boy Accidentally Hanged Himself.

NASHUA, N. H., Jan. 12.—Ernest Annis, aged 11, was found dead in his father's barn in Londonderry, with his throat entangled in a rope. Death was probably the result of an accident.

## Death of Lady Stanley's Brother.

OTTAWA, Jan. 14.—Lady Stanley, wife of the governor general, has received a cablegram from England announcing the death of her brother, Colonel Bellers, from an attack of influenza.

## THE OBSERVATORY.

Mrs. Wiggins' Reading. Prizes of New York Life. Farmers of England.

The members of the November Club are to welcome into their midst the author of some of the most truly delightful books in the English language. I know of no other woman who is the equal of Mrs. Kate Douglass Wiggin in writing about children; such pathetic yet true pictures of child-life, as she draws with her pen! Yet every other stroke points the etching with a delicate bit of humor. The famous chapter about the "Ruggleses" in "The Birds' Christmas Carol" was adapted and played in Cambridge by ten Professors who took the parts of Mr. Ruggles and the nine little Ruggleses. A dozen ladies from as many different cities, sitting on a hotel piazza, voted "Timothy's Quest" the most quaint, sweet, and laughable story to which they had ever listened. A dozen working girls of but small education were not satisfied with an hour's reading about Timothy and little Gay, but wished to "hear the rest." Every bit of fun seemed to touch a responsive chord, while ordinarily the half-hour's reading was a trial to their souls. The "Story of Patsy" has been put into raised letters for the benefit of the blind. This little story was written by Mrs. Wiggins for the benefit of the Kindergarten which she opened for poor children on Silver Street, San Francisco. A book called "Jack and Jill," published for the benefit of the same Silver Street Kindergarten, is dedicated to Mrs. Wiggins as the pioneer of this good work on the Pacific coast; from her beginning with twenty little ones have come many other Kindergartens along the coast so that they number their teachers by hundreds and their pupils by thousands.

Mrs. Wiggins will find a pleasant surprise in the handsome new building added to her Alma Mater where she spent so many happy girlhood days as Kate Douglass Smith, and Abbot Academy may well be proud of this name which is the first on the list of her illustrious daughters. When it is said that Mrs. Wiggins has great aptitude as an author her charms are not half-told. She has a delicious voice and sings to the piano and guitar quaint old Mexican and Spanish music. Then too, she has composed exquisite melodies for her favorite poems; one of the most beautiful published is E. R. Sill's lovely verses, "Lend me thy Fillet, Love." She has also given readings in private parlors for charity, and to hear her not knowing her other talents one would say that her forte was public reading. Those who meet her in society say that her personal charm is even more than her literary attainments, and that withal she has wit and wisdom and practical knowledge which has enabled her to carry on with marvellous power the broadest and most difficult of philanthropic schemes.

It seems to me that an article giving a list of the men and women in New York who have the finest houses, the finest wines, the finest clothes, yachts, cooks, etc., is not in the best of taste, especially if it be true that the information concerning these so-called "Prizes of New York Life" was given for publication by the owners themselves. We are told that Mrs. William Astor has the finest diamonds and emeralds, including a stomachacher which belonged to Marie Antoinette. Mrs. Vanderbilt is stated to own the finest rubies and the pearl necklace once the property of the Empress Catherine of Russia. Mrs. De Forest is said to have the finest clothes, Mr. Havemeyer the finest collection of pictures; Mrs. Robert L. Stewart (the widow of a sugar refiner), the finest collection of old lace; Mr. Whitney the finest cook; Mrs. Seligman the finest collection of furs; Mrs. Butler Duncan the most elaborate collection of silk petticoats; Mr. Frank Work the finest stables; Mr. Elbridge Gerry the finest yacht; Mr. Stanley Mortimer the greatest assortment of English-made clothes, and Mr. Abram Hewitt the finest house. The finest wine-cellar in New York and in this country is that of ex-Judge Henry Hilton, the lawyer who acquired such an immense fortune by attending to the interests of the demoted widow of the millionaire A. T. Stewart, and the finest country house or villa is that of Mr. Ogden Goelet, the plumbing of which is solid silver.

The farmers of England in the last century seldom thought fit to educate their daughters, even when with ample means, and many an old poem counsels the farmers not to let their daughters go to school and play the piano, but they should stay at home and milk the cows. It was considered quite right for the tradesmen who lived by the farmers and who averaged much less capital to have drawing-rooms, pianos, servants, and to educate their daughters. The English idea of a farmer's duty is illustrated by some queer old lines:

## ANCIENT FARMING.

Wife to the cow,  
Boy to the sow,  
Girl to the mow,  
And your profits are netted.

## MODERN FARMING.

Wife to "the row,"  
Boy tally ho,  
Miss piano,  
And you'll soon be gazetted.

The latest news from the children of the Nation is that Baby McKee and Ruth Cleveland have had a prize-fight at a Chicago Fair—that is, to be more explicit, there was a contest as to which should have the most votes; Ruth Cleveland won the prize, a silver medal, and Mrs. Cleveland returned a note of thanks. How could Mrs. C. approve of such doings in one so young!

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Mgr. Flour City Nat'l Bank, Minneapolis:



## Yawl and Sharpie.

The centerboard sloop is by most thought the fastest kind of yacht, and very many successful racers, from the big Volunteer to the little twenty footer winners in yacht club regattas, have no doubt been sloops. But the sloop rig is not by any means the safest and handiest for comfortable cruising. The yawl and sharpie are much safer and handier than the catboat and sloop.

The yawl has an extra sail set at the stern. This is called a "driver," "mizzen," "jigger" or "dandy," and it is a veritable friend in need at all times, requiring no care, and being always ready to save you from a capsize and to help you in every maneuver. Its position is such that it always tends to luff the boat.

If a squall strikes a yawl she may right herself because of the pressure on this little driver; if a severe blow comes on you can sail in safety with jib and driver alone, the mainsail being furled; in fact, the yawl with her mainsail down is perfectly manageable and as safe as can be.

No reefing is necessary; just lower the mainsail, and your yawl is "reefed" at once for the worst kind of weather. There is always plenty of driving sail behind, and with the jib in front to balance this your boat is under full control. No sloop or catboat possesses such attributes of handiness and safety.

—F. W. Pangborn in St. Nicholas.

## Benedict Arnold's Drug Store.

It is not generally known, even to those interested in matters historical, that Benedict Arnold in his younger days kept an apothecary's shop here. He was born in Norwich, in a pretentious house still standing, and Dr. Lathrop taught him the drug business in a little shop in the village street. Arnold removed to New Haven and started a drug shop, where he dealt out pills and nostrums to the townspeople, whom he later treated to pills of which lead was the principal ingredient.

The old sign which swung in front of the drug shop is now an interesting relic in the possession of the Historical society, the word "From London" being a clever dodge which he played on the guileless Yankees.

Surrounded by freight trains and lumber yards in Water street stands the house in which Arnold lived. It is a roomy structure. A pathway bordered by boxwood leads to a covered porch, on either side of which is a seat. The waters of New Haven bay came up to the gate of the house in years gone by, and Water street was then lined with handsome villas belonging to wealthy residents. At the lower end was the fashionable Pavilion hotel, now a factory.—New Haven Cor. New York Sun.

## An Advertising Trick.

One of the most amusing incidents relative to sleek advertising was a trick on the Chicago newspapers several years ago. One of the partners of a firm went into court and filed a bill for injunction to restrain the other partner from sacrificing the goods in their store at figures far below first cost.

The plaintiff set forth in detail that his partner had with some insane desire marked all the goods in the store down below cost. Then he went into details and showed how different articles were being sacrificed, notwithstanding his protest, and asked the court to issue an injunction and restrain the fractious partner. It was a strange fight, and the newspapers took it up and devoted columns to the novel case.

The result was that people on the lookout for bargains flocked to the store and purchased goods. Day after day the hearing for an injunction was delayed, and finally, when the free ad. had been worked to its end, the suit was dismissed without prosecution, the whole cost to the firm for thousands of dollars' worth of advertising being about twenty-five dollars.—London Tit-Bits.

## A Boon to Travelers.

Anything that will reduce the rattle and vibration of the ordinary railway car is a boon to the traveling man. A new appliance which is said to possess this qualification in a marked degree is the cushion car wheel, which has the additional advantages of being simple, safe, economical and noiseless. The wheel is composed of two parts, the center and the tire, while between the two is a thick rubber band which acts as a cushion to absorb all the vibrations.

The tire is so made that it may be removed without taking the wheel from the axle. The rubber is so placed between the center and the tire as to be liable to injury from a hot box or from the corrosive action of the lubricants. The rubber will run 20,000 miles without showing the slightest signs of wear, and in a similar distance the wear of the tire is but one-thirty-second of an inch, which is less than one-half the usual wear for this amount of travel.—Philadelphia Press.

## Fruit Stones Make Costly.

The stones of certain kinds of dates, like those of Rosetta and Burlos, being rather large, are carved and pierced to make beads for rosaries. The stones of a species of Canarium (often called peach stones) are beautifully and elaborately carved by the Chinese, and when set in gold or separated by gold filigree beads form exceedingly handsome brooches and bracelets. Amoy is renowned for this kind of work, and some of these beads cost a dollar each, a very large sum, when the slight remuneration in China for skilled labor and the cost of native living are borne in mind.—Chambers' Journal.

## A DOG'S BRAVERY DISPLAYED.

A Manifestation of Unsuspected Qualities in a Good Natured Setter.

The existence of a quality in a being is often unsuspected and remains unknown, even to the owner, until some sudden emergency brings it forth.

This was strikingly illustrated by a stirring little episode which electrified the Pine hills not long since.

Up on these hills lives a Gordon setter of mature years. This dog is a dog of an exceedingly pacific disposition. It cannot be truly said "that he would not hurt a fly," but he draws the line at flies. To be sure, he is a terror to cats, but only when they flee before him. If even a kitten turns and faces him he stops in his headlong career, sits down, wags his tail and inspects the kitten blandly.

Once the ladies of the family discovered a rat. They called the dog into the room, then asserted their feminine instincts by mounting chairs and tables and awaiting results. And this dog followed that rat around the room, sniffing at it and occasionally accelerating its pace by a poke from his nose until it got away down a hole. So it may be readily seen how harmless and peaceful he is. Every child on the Pine hills has pulled his tail; a harsh word causes that tail to droop deprecatingly.

A short time ago his owner brought home a bulldog weighing forty-five pounds. Now a bulldog is organized, both mentally and physically, entirely with reference to combat, and a forty-five pound bulldog represents a terrible instrument of warfare.

The chain which held this dangerous compound of bone, sinew, brutality and jaw was apparently strong, but when the bulldog saw the setter wagging his tail in greeting he rent asunder his bonds and pinned that setter by the throat.

The neighbors gathered from far and near, with sympathy and suggestion. A crowbar was actually used as a pry in the bulldog's mouth, without effect; ammonia proved useless; a hose was turned upon him, but his iron jaw held firmly to the setter's throat. Finally the victim tore his throat away from that awful grip, leaving the bulldog's mouth filled with setter flesh.

Then what did that setter do; that peaceful dog, who would not harm a rat, who was cowed by a word! Of course he presented a black streak as he disappeared through Allen street en route for his old Lark street home.

Did he? Well, no.

The hired man, who was of a figurative turn of mind, said that "he ran upon his hind legs like a hopponthomus," an expression fanciful but obscure. In plain English he developed suddenly into an awful fighter; he attacked that bulldog in a manner terrible to behold. A lady fainted at the sight.

He destroyed his enemy's internal economy; he dug huge pits in his flesh; he caused an almost complete dissolution of continuity between the bulldog's foreleg and his body. He tore him till he dropped for dead, and then, like the lady spectator, Maids fainted clean away.

And the next day he was discovered in the barn, shoving a rat around with his nose and making it squeal for his amusement.

He is now regarded by the children as a great warrior, yet they pull his tail with impunity as of yore. And the children of these children will know, many years from now, the story of Maids and the bulldog.—Albany Argus.

## Their Way.

Concerning the manners and customs of the savages of Mount Sylvia, Formosa, Mr. E. Colborne Baber related the following incident before the Royal Geographical society:

A party of English officers from a man-of-war landed on the island, and meeting a company of natives armed with matchlocks challenged them to a trial of skill in shooting.

Affixing a mark to a tree about a hundred yards distant, the officers made what they considered pretty fair practice, without, however, astonishing the natives, who, when it came their turn to fire, disappeared in the jungle like one man, and crawled on their bellies through the undergrowth to a point about three yards from the target, which of course they all hit exactly in the center.

When the Englishmen protested that such a method of conducting the competition was hardly fair, the natives replied:

"We do not understand what you mean by 'fair,' but, anyhow, that is the way we shoot Chinamen."—Youth's Companion.

## Why the Boys Leave the Farm.

The answer is self evident—perpetual toil in good weather all through the busy season, and perpetual loneliness in bad weather and most of the winter season. The time when the farmers have leisure is, in half the country, the very time when they cannot get away from home by reason of their isolation and bad roads; yet such is the hunger of the heart that the boys revolt against this unendurable loneliness and even now often walk miles through the rain or the snow to spend half a day in sitting around the stove in the country store. Already, in many sections, the young people of both sexes have broken through the barriers and established farmers' clubs and little societies of one sort or another, and improved roads have done much to aid this relief. But why should not this natural tendency be reasonably directed, and all ages and both sexes enjoy their long winter evenings together.—John W. Book-walter in Forum.

## MODERN SAMARITANS.

How Some Very Angry Neighbors Turned Their Feelings to Good Account.

It was a sort of impromptu indignation meeting held just after breakfast. The landlady said that the way the child next door was abused was a shame, and the contractor's wife said it was nothing less than a crime.

The shipping clerk said that he believed the baby had been crying steady for six hours, and the landlady said that it had cried more or less the day before too.

The contractor's wife said that she knew its mother whipped it, and that if she were a man she'd have it stopped, even if she had to go to the police.

The big, gruff contractor straightened himself up and said he would go in next door and see what he could do.

The shipping clerk volunteered to accompany him, and the little dry goods salesman said he was in for any movement that would stop that crying. The cashier said that cruelty to children was the one thing that actually made him want to strike a woman. He had noticed the way that baby had been treated for some time.

The four men sallied forth, and the landlady, the contractor's wife and the cashier's wife watched them from the bay window. They climbed the steps, rang the bell and a moment later entered the house. Three minutes afterward the cashier came out and hurried off down the street, and the women exclaimed simultaneously, "He's going for a policeman." Then the shipping clerk appeared and hurried after the cashier.

It was fully fifteen minutes before the contractor appeared, followed by the dry goods salesman. The former was wiping his forehead with his handkerchief as he climbed the steps of the boarding house again. He was met at the door by the three women.

"What did she say?" asked his wife. "She said she was glad to see us," he said in his gruff way.

"The brazen thing!" exclaimed the three women.

"Stop that!" he said sharply. "We told her we were neighbors, and she said it was kind of us to come in."

"Oh! Oh!" chorused the women. "Stop it, I tell you!" he exclaimed.

"She had the baby in her arms and there were dark rings under her eyes. She said the baby was sick and she didn't dare leave it to go down cellar to the ice chest, because there was no one else in the house."

"And what did you do?" the landlady asked.

"I went down cellar and got some cold meat. She hadn't had any breakfast."

"And I brought up the milk," put in the salesman, "and George ran for the doctor and Harry went to the drug store."

"Oh, dear!" said the landlady. "The poor thing! Where's her husband?" "He didn't come home last night," said the contractor, scowling. "Some nights he forgets, it seems."

"And what are you going to do?" asked the cashier's wife.

"I know what one woman is going to do," he said, looking in the direction of his wife.

"Yes, John," she said, "I'm going right over."

"And I know what another woman is going to do," added the landlady, picking up a shawl. "She's going to offer to get up something hot for mother and baby. Their kitchen fire must be out."

"And another's going over just to see what she can do," put in the cashier's wife.

Then, as they started, one of them called out:

"How about the husband? Hadn't some one better?"

"I can lick him," interrupted the little dry goods salesman, "and if I ever meet him I will."—Chicago Tribune.

## Why Horses Stumble.

Many horses stumble, and are whipped therefore, because persons having them in keeping are careless in "hitching them up." The most flagrant and common error in clothing a horse is the placing of the breechen, or hold back strap, at the proper height on the horse's hind legs. In fact every third horse is hitched wrong in this respect. The breechen should be so buckled that it will not slip up under the horse's tail, and never so that it will, when the horse is going down hill or holding against a load, slip nearly down to his hocks. The latter position deprives the horse of the free use of his hind legs, causes his feet to cross alternately, lifts his hind feet, if not his whole hind parts, nearly off the ground, and throws the weight of the load and of the horse himself on to his front feet—the result being badly "sprung" knees, frequent unavoidable stumbling, with the generally attending whipping, jerking of the reins and curses of the foot driver.—Cor. Washington Star.

## Why a Preacher Should Ride a Bicycle.

John Bertram, ex-mayor of Dundas, Ont., is in the city. Mr. Bertram is a shrewd, sharp man, and his conversation is marked by a well defined vein of dry humor. He was passing down the street today with his friend Mr. Dunn, who knew him in Dundas, when they passed the Rev. Robert R. Maitland, who was speeding along on his bicycle.

"That's the way clergyman go around in Vancouver," said Mr. Dunn.

Mr. Bertram looked at the speeding form, and without a smile replied, "Well, he can save soles that way for a certainty."—Vancouver Telegram.

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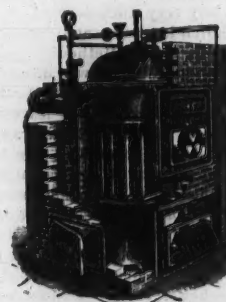
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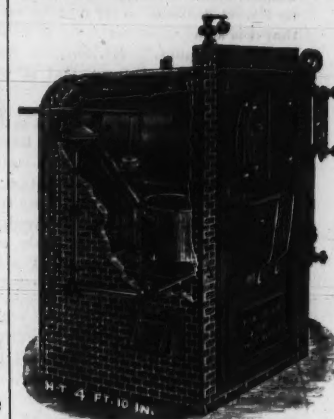
## The Roof was Neglected

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## NORTH ANDOVER.

David A. Moulton has been granted an increase of pension.

Representative Smith of Andover has been assigned to a position on the Committee on Manufactures.

John H. Sutton has been re-elected a director of the First National Bank of Salem.

Mrs. Moses Merrill met with a painful accident last week Thursday evening. As she was crossing pleasant Street she made a mis-step and fell, breaking one of the bones of her left arm, just above the wrist.

Rev. C. H. Wilcox of the Pawtucket Church, Lowell, preached at the Congregational Church, Sunday, in exchange with Rev. H. H. Leavitt.

The meeting of the Y. P. M. L. S. S. will occur this evening.

Town Clerk Isaac F. Osgood has been confined to the house this week by an attack of influenza.

Wynonia Lodge held an open meeting in the Lodge Room, Monday evening. Past Chief F. W. Frisbee in the chair. Miss Brierley gave a reading, and there was singing by the assembly. Rev. H. H. Leavitt made a very fine address on the benefits of organization, and things essential to its perfection.

Any desirous of contributing fancy, ornamental, domestic articles, or any other useful gifts for the success of the Eben Sutton S.F.E. Co. Fair, will render themselves worthy of the grateful acknowledgement of an appreciative company.

The topic for the meeting of the Y. P. S.C.E., Sunday evening, is "The foolishness of Intemperance."

Mrs. Lewis Albezette, with her youngest son, will join her husband at Durham N.C., shortly.

Alba Markey interested his hearers very much with his illustrated lecture on European cities, at the Methodist Church on Wednesday evening.

It will be Missionary day at the Methodist Church next Sunday.

Rev. H. H. Leavitt conducted the funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Lucinda A. wife of George W. Tucker, at her late home on Mill Street, Friday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. The bearers were Messrs. Daniel A. Carleton, Jacob Farnham, Amos D. Carleton, and Judson Reynolds. There was a pretty floral tribute from the Y.P.S.C.E., of the Congregational Church. Interment in Ridgewood cemetery.

Miss Rose Ferrin, assistant in Room 1, Merrimack School, has been absent from duty this week, on account of illness.

Daniel Bauchman strained his leg by making a mis-step, on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Needham and Mrs. Edward Adams of the Centre, and Mrs. Leverett S. Perley are quite ill, the latter with pneumonia.

Rev. Elias Lodge had sufficiently recovered from his recent illness to be able to occupy his pulpit at the Methodist Church, Sunday morning.

Tidings of the death of Mrs. Hardy comes to us this morning.

The *Bangor Daily News* says:—"Mr. George F. Sargent, the popular clerk at Harlow's drug store, has compounded an article that is a sure cure for the grippe and hundreds are calling for it. An unique name 'Kura Kold' was given it by Mr. Sargent and so far reports have it that it is an absolute certainty of all that the name implies." Mr. Sargent was a former resident of town and is well-known to many of our people.

Owing to the escaping of the gas during transportation, Mr. Harry S. Renton was unable to give his illustrated lecture to the Old Residents' Association of Lawrence, Monday evening. Many from this town, who set out for an evening's entertainment, were among those who survived the disappointment. The lecture was announced to be given this evening.

The Republicans of town will exceedingly regret to learn that because of private reasons Mr. William Halliday, Jr., considers it necessary to withdraw from the Board of Registrars and also from the Republican Town Committee, and has accordingly tendered his resignation of both positions. Mr. Halliday's service on the Board of Registrars has been very methodical and acceptable in every respect, while as a member of the Town Committee his name has not yet been coupled with political "trickery" and selfish "deals," so frequently apparent in times of yore. The idea that politics can be conducted successfully on a strictly honorable basis has been made quite evident within a year or two.

The annual meeting of the Trinitarian Congregational Church occurred Tuesday evening. Rev. H. H. Leavitt presiding. The records and reports of committees were read and approved. The meeting then proceeded to the election of officers, which resulted as follows: clerk, Mr. C. E. Stillings; treasurer, Mr. Joseph S. Sanborn; auditor, Mr. Andrew McLean; members of the church committee, Messrs. N. P. Frye, Frank W. Frisbee; social committee, Messrs. D. W. Carney, Andrew McLean, Mrs. James A. Roache, Mrs. James T. Johnson, Mrs. D. W. Carney, Misses Annie E. Sanborn and Annie L. Sarient. It was voted to continue to hold the weekly prayer meeting on Thursday evening, as usual. The church has distributed the sum of \$852.82 to the various charities during the year.

Mr. and Mrs. Appleyard are en route for England.

Mrs. Chambers, of Lynn, is visiting at the home of Edward Butterworth.

## Camp 115, S. of V.

A most satisfactory installation of the officers of Gen. Isaac I. Stevens Camp, S. of V., was in order Tuesday evening, in the Odd Fellows' lodge room, the services necessary to the occasion being conducted by Past Captain George A. Higgins and his able assistant, G. E. Smith, of Camp 111 of Andover, in an admirable manner. The following were installed: commander, George W. Blanchard; senior vice commander, Arthur O. Gile; junior vice commander, A. L. Lawson; members of the camp council, A. O. Gile, E. D. Tufts. Commander Blanchard then extended the installation services to members of his staff: chaplain, Eugene D. Tufts; first serg't George H. Moulton; quartermaster serg't, C. M. Sanborn; serg't of the guard, A. B. Buzzell; color serg't, Horace Barker; musician, A. P. Chickering; corporal of the guard, George A. Reed, Jr.; picket guard, James McRobie.

"Camp caterer" Frank S. Gile served an excellent supper in the banquet hall, and in subsequent enjoyment of their "Timothy Dexters" the "boys" listened to a whistling solo by Alfred Turner, of town; duett, banjo and bones, Messrs. Jones and Cogswell, of Col. Nevins Camp, Methuen; song, Eugene D. Tufts; "Trix," George E. Smith, of Walter Raymond Camp, Andover; songs, Frank Gile; banjo solo, G. F. Jones, Methuen; harmonica solo, Mr. Cogswell, Methuen; songs, "He is a Soldier and a Man," "Scotch Brigade," "The Golden Wedding," Mr. Turner; address by Installing Officer G. A. Higgins, and remarks by Commander George C. Lyle, of Walter Raymond Camp, Andover.

Delegates were present from Haverhill, Andover, and Methuen Camps, veterans not connected with the G.A.R., and sons of veterans not connected with the order. The committee of arrangements were Comrades G. W. Blanchard, C. M. Sanborn, and Arthur O. Gile.

A bright woman writes in a bright way of bright things in the "Observatory" on page six.

## Obituary.

Many will regret to learn of the death of Mrs. Ann Kershaw, widow of the late Samuel Kershaw, both of whom were formerly residents of this town for many years. Mrs. Kershaw was a native of Lancashire, England, but came to this country in company with her husband in 1847. She continued her residence in our community until within a few years, when she removed to Dover, N.H., where she has since resided with her daughter, Mrs. Mary Manock. Death came to her Sunday evening, at the advanced age of 90 years, 9 months, and 27 days. She was a lady very much devoted to home and church interests, and highly respected. She joined the Methodist Church in this town in 1849, and was dismissed to the church in Dover, in 1881. Besides her married daughter, she leaves two sons, Joseph, of St. Paul, Minn., and Abraham Kershaw of this town. She was in full possession of all her mental faculties up to the time of death, and arranged all the details of her funeral. Services were held in the Methodist Church yesterday afternoon, at 1 o'clock, Rev. Elias Dodge officiating. A quartette, consisting of her nephews, Messrs. Edward and Charles Butterworth, Mrs. Edward Butterworth, and Miss Hattie Merrow rendered the hymn, "Come ye Disconsolate," and "Asleep in Jesus." The casket was trimmed with smilax, and bore a sheaf of wheat, a wreath, and bouquets of flowers, the tributes of relatives. Henry Keniston, Charles Morton, John R. Pollard and James Brierley, 1st, acted as bearers. Interment at Ridgewood Cemetery.

MRS. SUSAN JOHNSON SMITH.

The following lines by Rev. C. R. Bliss of Boston, pay fitting tribute to the memory of one of our former residents:

Many of the older residents of North Andover will remember the erect form, the genial smile and the charitable deeds of this excellent lady, who at her home at Sunnyside, Winchester, passed from this world on the 8th instant at the advanced age of 93 years. She was the eldest daughter of Dea Jedediah Farnham. She was married in early womanhood to Mr. Henry Smith of Gloucester. His death a few years after their marriage left her with a family of four young children, and that she might secure for them an education, she removed to Bradford. When her object there was accomplished she returned to North Andover to the home of her father, to whose comfort she ministered in the declining period of his life. Many useful and happy years were spent in her North Andover home. She was a prominent member of a large family circle. She was a conspicuous figure in society and in the church.

The students of Andover Seminary, who at the time performed many Sabbath school duties in North Andover, enjoyed her genial welcomes and constant hospitality. She was characterized by remarkable fidelity and equal grace in discharging them.

When her North Andover home was broken up by death of friends and by the marriage of her children, she removed to Boston, where she resided several years with her only remaining sister, Miss Lavinia Earnham. At length the two sis-

ters removed to Sunnyside, Winchester, where their devoted nephew, Mr. George H. Gilbert, had prepared for them a most attractive home. The last illness of Mrs. Smith continued eleven days. At the outset it was critical but the disease, after apparently yielding to medical skill, changed its location only the more surely to fulfill its end. Her remarkable physical vitality, notwithstanding her great age, encouraged the hope that she would vanquish the malady, but the hope was illusive. Her mental faculties were unimpaired to the end. Her spiritual nature, which from early life, though never demonstrative, was always strong, gained remarkable power as she came within a near view of the scenes of another life. A preternatural vigor manifested itself. With a voice of remarkable strength and sweetness she broke forth in scripture passages and Christian hymns indicative of dependence and trust and confidence and hope. At times she was absorbed with things unseen and while willing to live for those she loved, as the tenderly said that she was, she evidently was being lifted above earthly things and carried by spiritual influences into other realms and into the fellowship of other friends.

Mrs. Smith leaves of her immediate family, two sons and one daughter. The sons are Mr. Henry F. Smith of Concord, and Mr. J. H. D. Smith of Boston. The daughter is Mrs. Charles R. Bliss of Chicago. Her eldest daughter, Mrs. Alfred B. Warren, died soon after her marriage in 1861. Mrs. Smith also leaves the sister with whom she has walked hand in hand the journey of life many years and who at the ripe age of 85 is waiting for a similar translation; and a brother, Mr. Benjamin A. Farnham, of Sing Sing, N. Y., who has also completed four score years. Mrs. Smith at the time of her death was the oldest member of the Congregational Church of this town.

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## The Hearing.

If the meeting of Wednesday evening is a criterion, public spirit is apparently something yet to be cultivated at least so far as village improvement is concerned. When chairman Frye called the meeting to order there were only about 16 present. The chairman said a hearing on the matter in question was rather a novel proceeding, it had never occurred before and might never occur again. He also stated that the work of the committee was of a two-fold nature, one part they had already settled and the other they desired the sentiment of the people on, before their work was completed.

Rev. Mr. Noyes consumed the early part of the evening in stating that the children of the Merrimack and Bradstreet Schools had no place to play except in the streets, and thought there should be an addition made to the Bradstreet school-ground at least. He said it was an unhealthy locality, unfit for building purposes, but might possibly do for a playground. For a public park he favored the tract of land owned by Hon. Moses T. Stevens, on Main, Elm and Parker Streets, which he thought one of the most suitable and beautiful in the town, and could be purchased at a figure somewhat at its present valuation. This tract contained about 30 acres and the Sutton field 6 or 7 acres. The former would cost but comparatively little more than the latter. Others who were called upon for remarks were John Meserve, Walter Hayes, John H. Rea, Samuel Liggett, A. V. Chalk, and Enos Robinson.

Hon. W. P. Phillips made the closing remarks. He said that there were two sides to this question as there was to every question and he was disappointed not to see more people present. He had hoped to hear the matter discussed from the different standpoints. He would like to know if there was any demand on the part of the people for a park, and whether the cost might have anything to do with the question. He had hoped to hear it discussed from a Board of Health point of view and from the mechanic, whether it would please him, and what his sentiment was in regard to the needs of such a place of recreation. He was highly in favor of holding public meetings to get at public sentiment in all town affairs, especially so in spurring apathetic town officials to the correct discharge of their duties.

Mr. Frye stated that the only question that could properly be considered at that time was as to whether the Sutton land was suitable and whether that particular tract should be purchased for a public park. The sentiment was expressed in a total of 8 votes, 2 for and 6 against the purchase. This result would have appeared to advantage as the record of a base-ball game, but as an expression of public sentiment it looks bad.

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